

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the Abstract with the attached substitute Abstract.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 11, line 13, with the following rewritten paragraph:

~~FIG. 25 is a~~FIGs. 25 (a) and 25 (b) are schematic representation to show an assembling process of the charger according to the second embodiment of the invention.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 12, line 12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

FIG. 30 (a) is a schematic representation to show an experimental model according to an ~~example 4~~example 4, and FIG. 30 (b) is a ~~schematic representation~~chart to ~~show~~show a relationship ~~between~~within a gap between a shield plate and a photoconductor ~~drum~~drum, and the presence or absence of spot occurrence.